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Dear Sir:

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The application is for:

**An Embedded Communication Protocol Using a Utopia-LVDS Bridge**

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Respectfully submitted,

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